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Fri, Dec 11, 2020 at 12:42 AM

Wed, Jan 6, 2021 at 8:40 AM

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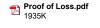
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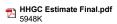
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Long, Eric <elong@pnat.com> Wed, Jan 6, 2021 at 1:05 PM

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Mr. Griffin,

I appreciate your prompt response to my letter. I will try to address the points of your email in the order presented.

- 1. I provided a copy of the policy that was not certified in order to expedite the handling of the loss as obtaining a "Certified" copy would require a delay of a few weeks due to the COVID-19 mandates that are limiting employees in the office. If you still require a "Certified" copy, please let me know and I will be happy to order one be sent to you.
- 2. I have checked and re-checked my email and "spam" folder to attempt to locate any other correspondence you have sent regarding this loss. The only information we have received from you or the policyholder is your "Letter Of Representation & Co-Payment Notice and a Sworn Statement In Proof Of Loss signed on December 9, 2020 which were attached to your email of December 11, 2020. Contrary to your statement regarding the email you sent on December 11, 2020, no other documentation was attached. I have not received "a professional engineer report" from you, the policyholder, or your engineer. If you would so kind as to re-send your engineer's report so that we can address your concerns, I will process it as soon as I am able. Until such time, our position remains unchanged.

Thank you, and stay safe,

Eric Long

Property General Adjuster

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Wed, Jan 6, 2021 at 7:08 PM

Mr. Long,

I just forwarded you the exact email that was sent with the LOR and POL on December 11, 2020 this morning. That email clearly shows the engineer report attached. Mr Buchanan was able to view and open it, and so was I.

It has been almost a month and I still don't have the certified copy either, so please provide that, along with the other requests, at your earliest convenience.

Thank you

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